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1. **Adoption of the agenda**

The Council adopted the agenda set out in 7685/18.

2. **Approval of "A" items**

a) **Non-legislative list**

7686/18

The Council adopted the "A" items listed in 7686/18 including COR and REV documents presented for adoption. A statement related to these items is set out in the Addendum.

For the following items, the related documents should read as follows:

Foreign Affairs

12. Syria restrictive measures - pre-notifications

Adoption

approved by Coreper, Part 2, on 11.04.2018

7587/18

+ REV 1 (hr)

CORLX

Delegated or Implementing Acts

Internal Market and Industry

20. Commission Delegated Regulation (EU) .../... of 12.2.2018 supplementing Regulation (EU) No 167/2013 of the European Parliament and of the Council as regards environmental and propulsion unit performance requirements for agricultural and forestry vehicles and their engines and repealing Commission Delegated Regulation (EU) 2015/96

Delegated act - Intention not to raise objections

approved by Coreper, Part 1, on 21.03.2018

7141/18

6117/18 + ADD 1

+ COR 1 (de)

AGRI

- b) **Legislative list** (Public deliberation in accordance with Article 16(8) of the Treaty on European Union)

7687/18

Economic and Financial Affairs

1. **MFA Georgia**

Adoption of the legislative act

approved by Coreper, Part 2, on 28.03.2018



7294/18

PE-CONS 7/18

ECOFIN

The Council approved the European Parliament's position at first reading and the proposed act has been adopted, pursuant to Article 294(4) of the Treaty on the Functioning of the European Union. (Legal basis: Article 212 (2) TFEU).

Internal Market and Industry

2. Regulation on Rail Transport Statistics (recast)

Adoption of the legislative act

approved by Coreper, Part 1, on 28.03.2018



7293/18

PE-CONS 8/18

STATIS

The Council approved the European Parliament's position at first reading and the proposed act has been adopted, pursuant to Article 294(4) of the Treaty on the Functioning of the European Union. (Legal basis: Article 338 (1) TFEU).

Agriculture

3. Directive on control of Newcastle disease

Adoption of the legislative act

approved by Coreper, Part 1, on 28.03.2018



7300/18

PE-CONS 6/18

AGRI

The Council approved the European Parliament's position at first reading and the proposed act has been adopted, pursuant to Article 294(4) of the Treaty on the Functioning of the European Union. (Legal basis: Article 43 (2) TFEU).

Culture/Audiovisual Matters

4. Regulation on the Creative Europe Programme - EU Youth Orchestra (EUYO)

Adoption of the legislative act

approved by Coreper, Part 1, on 28.03.2018



7299/18

PE-CONS 5/18

AUDIO

The Council approved the European Parliament's position at first reading and the proposed act has been adopted, with the Polish delegation abstaining, pursuant to Article 294(4) of the Treaty on the Functioning of the European Union. (Legal basis: Article 167 (5) TFEU).

Education

5. Decision on Europass

Adoption of the legislative act

approved by Coreper, Part 1, on 28.03.2018



7298/18

PE-CONS 70/17

EDUC

The Council approved the European Parliament's position at first reading and the proposed act has been adopted, pursuant to Article 294(4) of the Treaty on the Functioning of the European Union. (Legal basis: Article 165 and 166 TFEU).

Telecommunications

6. Regulation on cross-border parcel delivery services

Adoption of the legislative act

approved by Coreper, Part 1, on 28.03.2018



7291/18

PE-CONS 69/17

POSTES

The Council approved the European Parliament's position at first reading and the proposed act has been adopted, pursuant to Article 294(4) of the Treaty on the Functioning of the European Union. (Legal basis: Article 114 TFEU).

Transport

7. Directive on qualification of professional drivers

Adoption of the legislative act

approved by Coreper, Part 1, on 28.03.2018



7292/18

PE-CONS 71/17

TRANS

The Council approved the European Parliament's position at first reading and the proposed act has been adopted, with the Italian delegation abstaining and the Luxembourg and Austrian delegations voting against, pursuant to Article 294(4) of the Treaty on the Functioning of the European Union. (Legal basis: Article 91 TFEU).

Non-legislative activities

The Council addressed the following non-legislative discussion items (3-5)

3. Strategic context and priorities of cohesion policy post-2020

Exchange of views

4. Communicating cohesion policy

Information from the Commission

5. Any other business



First reading



Item based on a Commission proposal